

## **MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**



As your new President, I'd like to wish everyone a healthy and happy New Year.

The theme I have chosen is "COME ALIVE IN '95." I would like to see us build strong new friendship, increase our membership and meet our wish list obligations.

I hope to see many more members at our quarterly meeting. You all have a voice in our Guild, please come and be heard. I will entrust each of you to make the effort to bring our members out to our meetings-with an informed membership we will strengthen our Guild. Also, breakfast will be served.

Thank you for the trust you have placed in me. I'm proud to belong to this very dedicated group of hard working individuals.

*Penny Winters*



## FLOOR REPORT

I would like to welcome our newest members of 1994, Helen Sitzman, Trudy Clark, Matt Hogan, Betty Lopez, Madeline Jenzen, Anne Smith, and Don Link. As you can see we really needed help on the floor in '94. I also want to thank all my other dedicated, long time workers very much for their hard work. We do a lot of miles in our 4 hour shift and some do it more than once a week. I still need two more volunteers for Thursday and Friday.

I just want to wish you all a bright and happy New Year.

*Sheri Jones*

## EMERGENCY ROOM REPORT

The NorthBay Emergency Room Guild did not grow in the 1994 year. We started with four guild workers and ended with the same dedicated group.

Jean Lunoe

Mary Rodriquez

Bob Rubin

Verna Newlin

November 8, 1994 - WHITE CODE play drill was enacted in Emergency Room. A situation of violence played by people involved with Emergency Room situations such Paramedics, Firefighters, Police and may others and it showed valuable information from the playing out. December a new trainee, Betty Lopez started training and will be a regular after the first of January 1995. Welcome to our Group Betty.

During the year the Staff of Emergency Room treated us to gifts and a hearty luncheon at Chevy's Restaurant.

*Verna Newlin*

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand

December 31, 1994 \$2,382.97.

Cash in Fundraiser Account

December 31, 1994 \$16,030.04

## THRIFT SHOP REPORT

November 1st, 1994 marked the first year anniversary in our new location and our new name. It was certainly a year of change, paid cashiers that did not work out as we had hoped, new hours, new customers and new parking problems. Financially we did not do as well as we wanted to do but considering all the changes, we did o.k. We were not able to give anything to the Foundation this year, but we did meet all other financial obligations.

I want to thank all the people that work at the shop. Everyone is very dedicated and works hard to make the shop successful. Special thanks to Jewell Schoffstall and her crew that gave the extra time and effort in the back room. Thanks to Shirley Branch for an outstanding job decorating the window. (It became the talk of Texas Street). And thanks to Oretta Cortland for keeping all the dollars and cents in the column. I'll miss you all.

## JANUARY 12 MEETING

Martha Orr installed our new officers: Penny Winters, Liz Kennedy, and Helene Gobler. All the chairmen were recognized and presented with flowers. The revised rules and procedures were voted on and passed. The budget for 1995 was also approved. Thanks to Helen, Diane, and Shirley for the wonderful luncheon and decorations.

NorthBay Hospice wishes to thank the following guild volunteers for participating in a huge mailing task:

Susie Coleman

Hilda Cowden

Margaret Kelly

Grace Ledger

Caroline Low

Kelly Nahr

Elise Schreiber

Evelyn Williams



## UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 7 BLOOD BANK  
Annex Rooms 1 & 2 1-5 p.m.

APRIL 6 MEMBERS MEETING  
Annex Rooms 1 & 2 9:00 a.m.  
Breakfast will be served.  
Penny Winters for reservations.

## GUILD OFFICERS

Director Volunteer Services  
Jane Beatty 429-7910  
President Penny Winters  
422-8484  
Vice President Liz Kennedy  
429-0388  
Secretary/Treasurer Helene Gobler  
425-2211  
Telephone Jane Oren  
425-2352  
Mailing Committee/Blood Bank  
Muriel Chapman 425-3434  
Gift Shop Ruth Emmert  
422-3492  
Emergency Room Verna Newlin  
426-1905  
Annex Jim Ford  
422-8776  
Floor Sheri Jones  
422-9866  
Nutrition Dianne Cravea  
864-0695  
Sunshine Gussie Kolda  
425-9434  
Hospitality Ellie Cheechov  
448-0254



Our Thoughts Are With  
Carol Chelini  
and  
Grace Ledger

## IN THE PINK

January 7, 1995 was a very special day for MARY RODRIQUEZ! Chaplain Trueworthy invited her to participate in the performance of an infant baptism in NorthBay's chapel.

Mary not only read the first passage of the service, but had the honor of making the cross on the baby's forehead.

This will be a personal remembrance to be long treasured by a special Guild lady.

CAROLINE LOW is a proud Mom these days, and we don't blame her.

Daughter Cindy Smith was named to NorthBay employees' All Star Team for 1994.

Cindy, who has been a NorthBay employee for ten years, is a Quality Improvement Office Assistant.

All Stars are selected for their excellence in performance, and serve as role models for others.

If the Guild had an All Star team, Caroline would be on it.

WANDA BOYETTE is recovering from hip replacement surgery.

She has a new address - same town, new street:

Wanda Boyette  
6211 Pueblo  
Magalia, CA 95954

The following guild member were  
sent get well card:

Ann King  
Edith Lamiranda  
Gussie Kolda  
Wanda Boyett  
Pam Reynolds

Send a little sunshine to our Sunshine Chairman Gussie Kolda. She is now home from the hospital.



## TEL MED REPORT

First, we contacted the Vacavalley Guild to be sure they no longer wanted to continue the Tel Med program as part of their Information Desk function. Next, we contacted the Tel Med Company to see if we could allow another non profit agency to handle it. This is not possible.

We contacted NorthBay Healthcare Services Communication Department to see if they would like to continue the program. The Coordinator there considered it for several weeks and finally decided not to continue.

Thereof, as of December 31, the Volunteer Services Department discontinued the Support Fees. The Tel Med Machine line was deleted the first week of January.

### RETURN TO:

NorthBay Hospital Guild Newsletter  
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Fairfield, CA 94533

### EDITORS:

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## O - O - P - S

We forgot to give EVELYN WILLIAMS credit for the delicious pumpkin pie recipe in our last issue.

Evelyn comments she got it from Guild member Bea Kincaid who can't remember exactly where she got it - but it was undoubtedly from another good Guild cook.